

Unofficial Evaluation

BLUE RIDGE COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE (BRCTC)
A.A.S. HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT
TO AMERICAN PUBLIC UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
BS HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT
APRIL 2019 CATALOG TRANSFER GUIDE

APUS DEGREE REQUIREMENTS	BRCTC COURSES	APUS EQUIVALENCY	CREDITS APPLIED	CREDITS NEEDED AT APUS
General Education Requirements			12	18
Communication: Writing, Oral, and Multimedia (COMM)	Credits:		6	3
COMM120: Information and Digital Literacy (Required)	CAS 111 Information Literacy	COMM120	3	0
ENGL110: Making Writing Relevant (Required)			0	3
APUS General Education COMM Course Choice	COMM 205 Professional Communications	ENGL220	3	0
Arts and Humanities (ARHU)	Credits:		0	6
APUS General Education ARHU Course Choice			0	3
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Civics, Political & Social Sciences (SSPS)	Credits:		3	3
APUS General Education SSPS Course Choice	PSYC 203 Intro to Psychology	PSYC101	3	0
APUS General Education SSPS Course Choice			0	3
History (HIST)	Credits:		0	3
APUS General Education HIST Course Choice			0	3
Mathematics and Applied Reasoning (MAAR)	Credits:		0	3
MATH120: Introduction to Statistics (Required)			0	3
Natural Sciences (NASC)	Credits:		3	0
APUS General Education NASC Course Choice	BIOL 120 Human Anatomy & Physiology	BIOL181	3	0

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Major Requirements			21	45
HIMA100: Medical Terminology	MAST 102 Medical Terminology	HIMA100	3	0
HIMA110: Introduction to Health Information Management	HIM 101 Health Information Management	HIMA110	2	0
HIMA200: Legal Aspects of Health Information Management (Prerequisite: HIMA110 - Introduction to Health Information Management)	HIM 204 Healthcare Law & Ethics	HIMA200	3	0
HIMA220: Classification Systems I (Prerequisites: BIOL201 - Principles of Anatomy and Physiology with Lab and HIMA100 - Medical Terminology)	HIM 102 Coding I	HIMA220	3	0
HIMA230: Classification Systems II (Prerequisite: HIMA220 - Classification Systems I)	HIM 201 Coding II	HIMA230	3	0
HIMA240: Healthcare Reimbursement Methodologies (Prerequisite: HIMA110 - Introduction to Health Information Management)			0	0

HIMA250: Healthcare Delivery Systems and Documentation (Prerequisite: HIMA110 - Introduction to Health Information Management)			0	0
ACCT105: Accounting for Non Accounting Majors			0	0
BIOL201: Principles of Anatomy and Physiology with Lab	BIOL 122 Human Anatomy & Physiology II BIOL 123 Human Anatomy & Phys II Lab	BIOL201	4	0
SCIN255: Principles of Pathophysiology and Pharmacology (Prerequisite: HIMA100 - Medical Terminology)	CAHS 142 Pathophysiology of Disease	SCIN255	3	0
HIMA310: Electronics Health Records Fundamentals			0	3
HIMA350: Compliance			0	3
HIMA360: Health Informatics Project and Enterprise Management			0	3
HIMA410: Informatics and Analytics			0	3
HIMA460: Healthcare Data Management and Governance			0	3
FINC300: Foundations of Financial Management			0	3
HIMA497: Health Information Management Practicum			0	3
HRMT407: Human Resource Management			0	3
ISSC361: Information Assurance			0	3
ISSC422: Information Security			0	3
MGMT312: Leadership & Motivation			0	3
MGMT414: Strategic Planning			0	3
Final Program Requirement	Credits:		0	3
HIMA499: Senior Seminar in Health Information Management (to be taken as the last course before graduation)***	MUST BE TAKEN AT APUS		0	3
Electives (21 credits required)	Credits:		20	1
Choose any electives to meet degree requirements. Note minimum requirements for upper-level coursework.	BIOL 121 Human Anatomy & Physiology I Lab		1	0
	ENGL 110 Technical Writing & Communication		3	0
	MATH 101 Introduction to Mathematics	MATH125	3	0
	HIM 202 Computers in Healthcare		2	0
	HIM 203 Basic Pharmacology for HIM		2	0
	HIM 205 Performance Improvement		3	0
	HIM 207 Advanced Coding		3	0
	HIM 209 Capstone		2	
HIM 210 Healthcare Statistics		1	0	
Total Minimum Credits Needed for Graduation: 120	Total Credits:		53	67

Notes:

The APUS Baccalaureate Degree Health Information Management Program is in Candidacy Status, pending accreditation review by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM).

*Credit variances in academic placement and credit award can occur based on student course selections and APUS' program requirements.

Note: In order to transfer courses to APUS, the student must earn a grade of "C" or better.

**Any transferable course not counted toward General Education or Major requirements may be taken. Please note, courses such as developmental, practicum, internships, clinical, and vocational courses are not transferable.

*****Prerequisite: Senior Standing and completion of all major courses prior to enrollment.**